

---

BOX AF  
RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP ART UNIT 2853

---

01272.020610

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: J. Huffman
TSUYOSHI SHIBATA, ET AL.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2853
Appln. No.: 10/622,479	)	
	:	
Filed: July 21, 2003	)	
	:	
For: INK JET PRINTING APPARATUS	)	
AND METHOD FOR CORRECTING	:	
EJECTION DRIVING (AS	)	October 6, 2006
AMENDED)	:	

**Mail Stop AF**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION  
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Official Action dated June 23, 2006, for one (1) month from September 23, 2006, up to and including October 23, 2006. The statutory fee of \$120.00 for payment of the extension fee is being paid electronically. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.